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**PATENT**

Serial No: 10/725,466  
Docket No: 12177/43902

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of: Mamaghani et al. Confirmation No.: 4048  
Application No: 10/725,466 Customer No.: 23838  
Filed: December 3, 2003  
Group Art Unit: 2157  
Examiner: Moustafa M. Meky  
For: System and Method for Adjusting the Traffic  
Carried by a Network

**RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION**

**Mail Stop - Amendment**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Sir:

Applicants respectfully respond to the Office Action mailed October 20, 2006 as follows:

The **Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 6 of this paper.